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MEMORANDUM FOR: All Morning Meeting Participants

FROM:

Frederick P. Hitz Legislative Counsel

SUBJECT:

Preliminary Election Results

- 1. Senators Anderson (D., Minn.), Brooke (R., Mass.), Clark (D., Iowa), Griffin (R., Mich.), Haskell (D., Colo.), Hathaway (D., Me.) and McIntyre (D., N.H.) have been defeated. In Texas, Senator Tower has a slim lead over Bob Krueger. Warner appears to have edged out Miller in Virginia, and Democratic Senator Jennings Randolph seems to have narrowly defeated former Governor Arch Moore in West Virginia.
- 2. In the House, Koreagate appears to have done in Democrat John McFall of California, but the two other California Democrats reprimanded in the House investigation of South Korean influence buying, Edward Roybal and Charles Wilson, were re-elected. Pennsylvania Democrat Joshua Eilberg, who is under federal indictment, was defeated, along with Florida Republican J. Herbert Burke, who had pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct and resisting arrest charges. But Michigan Democrat Charles Diggs, who has been convicted on federal fraud charges, was re-elected, as was Pennsylvania Democrat Daniel Flood, whose trial on several Federal perjury counts begins in January.
- 3. An analysis of the effect of the election and of retirements on our key Senate and House Committess is attached.

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Attachment